

SC Department of Natural Resources

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REQUEST FOR QUOTATION

Return Quote No Later Than: January 18,2008	Quote Number: Q112071LJ
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Title: **16' Aluminum Boat, Motor, and Trailer**

Mailing Date: December 20,2007	Direct Inquiries to: Lisa Jordan
James H. Jackson, Dir. of Procurement Services	Req. Number: 110207LJ
Vendor Name:	FEIN or Social Security Number
Vendor Mailing Address:	Reason for no quote:
City, State, Zip:	Telephone Number: Fax Number: E-mail Address: Internet Address:
Authorized Signature (Manual):	Authorized Signature (Typed), Title:

AWARD & AMENDMENTS: The award, this solicitation, and any amendments will be posted at the following web address: <http://www.dnr.sc.gov/admin/procure/bulletin.html>

Upon Receipt, the vendor should submit a quotation in the manner indicated below. The closing date/time specified above is the time by which a quotation is required. A public opening will not be held for quotations.

Delivery Point: Deliver supplies/services FOB destination to the following address unless specified differently elsewhere herein: **S.C. Department of Natural Resources, Styx Receiving Compound, 2760 Fish Hatchery Rd, West Columbia, S.C. 29172**

Requested Delivery Time: 30 Days ARO

MUST BE SIGNED TO BE VALID

We hereby agree to furnish items and/or services for which prices are listed in accordance with any attached specifications

****Quote number and closing date must be shown on envelope****

****Quotes under \$10,000.00 may be faxed. ****

Do not include any taxes in the quotation price(s).

Quotation Acceptance period: In compliance with the quotation, and subject to all conditions thereof, the signer offers and agrees, if this quotation is accepted within _____ days from the date of closing, to furnish any or all items/services quoted at the prices set forth. Acceptance period will be thirty (30) days unless specified otherwise above.

IMPORTANT
SC RVP & SC/US Preferences

SC Resident vendor Preference

I certify that I am a resident vendor meeting all qualifications as defined in Section 11-35-1524 of the SC Consolidated Procurement Code and hereby request the preference be exercised on my behalf in the consideration of award of this quote.

*In order to make claim for this preference in the award of this quote, the person signing the quote must place their initials here _____.

*Address and phone number of SC office. (Must be completed if making claim)

Phone # _____.

SC/US Made, Manufactured or Grown End-Product Preference

*By signing quote and checking the appropriate space(s) provided and identified on the quote pricing schedule, vendor certifies that the end product(s) as shown in this quote are either made, manufactured or grown in South Carolina or other States of the United States, ref: 11-35-1524. The preference does not apply to services.

Note: These do not apply to a vendor of goods, whether in quantity or not, when the price of a single unit is more than \$30,000.00, or to quote awards less than \$10,000.00.

Notice: Important information pertaining to preferences.

*If a vendor has not requested the preferences he will neither be entitled to claim any preference against another vendor nor will he be protected from application of another quote's claim to a preference against his quote in determining contract award.

INSTRUCTIONS TO QUOTERS

Tie quotations will be resolved as outlined in Section 11-35-1520(9) (A) - (D) of the South Carolina Consolidated Procurement Code.

Right to protest under Section 11-35-4210(1) of the Consolidated Procurement Code does not apply. Re: Small purchases (less than \$50,000 in actual or potential value) Section 11-35-1550(3).

Unless otherwise stated, all prices must be firm.

Do not include any taxes in the quotation price(s).

Quotation Rejection/Cancellation: The State of South Carolina reserves the right to reject any or all quotes and to cancel the quotation.

Unit Price Governing: Unit price will govern over extended price unless otherwise stated in the request for quotation.

Quotation Amendments: All amendments to and interpretations of this quotation shall be in writing from the procurement officer of the Department of Natural Resources. The procurement officer shall not be legally bound by any amendment or interpretation that is not in writing.

GENERAL CONTRACT CLAUSES

Default: In case of default by the contractor, the State reserves the right to purchase any or all items in default in the open market, charging the contractor with any additional costs. The defaulting contractor shall not be considered a responsible vendor until the assessed charge has been satisfied.

Indemnification: Contractor shall indemnify and save harmless the State, its officers, agents, and employees from all suits or claims of any character brought by reason of infringing on any patent, trademark or copyright.

Protection of Human Health and the Environment: The State of South Carolina requires all contractual activities to be in compliance with local, state, and federal mandates concerning "Protection of Human Health and the Environment". Any contractor doing business with the State will be required to document compliance and to specify prudent practices used by the contractor to address applicable mandates including, but not restricted to, "The Hazard Communication Standard" OSHA CFR 1910.1200 (SCRR Article

1,71-1910.1200). By submission of this quote, the vendor agrees to take all necessary steps to ensure compliance with these requirements.

Payment of Goods & Services: Payment of goods and services received by the State shall be processed in accordance with section 11-35-45 of the South Carolina Procurement Code.

SPECIAL PROVISIONS

Acquisition Instructions: Furnish and deliver a new production 16' aluminum boat, motor, and trailer complying with the enclosed description and/or specifications and conditions as applicable to this quote notice.

Quoting Instructions: The specifications listed herein are not to be considered restrictive to one source of supply. However, items offered must be equal in quality and performance. The offeror must include with his quote, supporting product data sufficient for the State to determine equality and acceptability. The right is reserved to reject any offering in which the items offered are considered unsatisfactory in any manner. The State will determine if minor deviations from the listed features are acceptable.

Evaluation/Award: Award will be made to one vendor for entire quantity.

Warranty: Manufacturer's standard warranty will be required in writing with delivery of product.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Bidder/Offeror

Re: S.C. Withholding Tax Amendments
Code Section 12-9-310(A)(2)(3)

Effective July 1, 1994, Section 49, Appropriation Bill, Part II amended the above referenced code section to eliminate withholding from payments to nonresident contractors and rental recipients if the nonresident is registered or registers with the S.C. Department of Revenue or the S.C. Secretary of State's Office. The nonresident must provide an affidavit to whomever they are contracting with to that effect.

The entity or person letting the contract to the nonresident will retain the affidavit. In the absence of an affidavit being provided, withholding will be required (contracts--2%, rental or royalty recipients--7% for corporations, or 5% for individuals and partnerships).

The filing of the affidavit affirming registration by the nonresident eliminates the requirement to withhold by those letting contracts to nonresident as well as the posting of the surety bond by the nonresident. Enclosed is an affidavit and instructions to be used when contracting with nonresidents.

Forms to register for all taxes administered by the South Carolina Department of Revenue may be obtained by calling the License and Registration Section at (803) 898-5872 or writing the S.C. Department of Revenue, Registration Unit, Columbia, S.C. 29214-0140.

INSTRUCTIONS

NONRESIDENT TAXPAYER REGISTRATION AFFIDAVIT

REQUIREMENTS TO MAKE WITHHOLDING PAYMENTS

Code Section 12-9-310(A)(3) requires persons hiring or contracting with a nonresident taxpayer to withhold 2% of each payment made to the nonresident where the payments under the contract exceed \$10,000.00 in any one calendar year.

Code Section 12-9-310(A)(2) requires persons making payment to a nonresident taxpayer of rentals or royalties at a rate of \$1,200.00 or more a year for the use of or for the privilege of using property in South Carolina to withhold 7% of the total of each payment made to a nonresident taxpayer who is not a corporation and 5% if the payment is made to a corporation.

PURPOSE OF AFFIDAVIT

A person is not required to withhold taxes with regard to any nonresident taxpayer who submits an affidavit certifying that it is registered with either the South Carolina Secretary of State or the South Carolina Department of Revenue.

TERM AND DURATION OF AFFIDAVIT

It is recommended that an affidavit be obtained from a nonresident taxpayer for each separate contract or agreement. Otherwise, the affidavit submitted by a nonresident taxpayer shall remain in effect for a period of three (3) years, or for a lesser time if the person

earlier receives notice of revocation of exemption from withholding from the South Carolina Department of Revenue.

**STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE
NONRESIDENT TAXPAYER REGISTRATION AFFIDAVIT
INCOME TAX WITHHOLDING**

The undersigned nonresident taxpayer on oath, being first duly sworn, hereby certifies as follows:

1. Owner, Partner(s) or Corporate Name of Nonresident Taxpayer:

2. Trade Name (Doing Business As):

3. Mailing Address:

4. Federal Identification Number:

5. _____ Hiring or Contracting with:

Name: _____

Address: _____

_____ Receiving Rentals or Royalties From:

Name: _____

Address: _____

6. I hereby certify that the above named nonresident taxpayer is currently registered with (check the appropriate statement below):

_____ The South Carolina Secretary of State or

_____ The South Carolina Department of Revenue

Date of Registration: _____

7. I understand that by this registration, the above named nonresident taxpayer has agreed to be subject to the jurisdiction of the South Carolina Department of Revenue and the courts of South Carolina to determine its South Carolina tax liability, including estimated taxes, together with any related interest and penalties.

8. I understand the South Carolina Department of Revenue may revoke the withholding exemption granted under Code Section 12-9-310 at any time it determines that the above named nonresident taxpayer is not cooperating with the Department in the determination of its correct South Carolina tax liability.

The undersigned understands that fine; imprisonment or both could punish any false statement contained herein.

Recognizing that I am subject to the criminal penalties under Code Section 12-54-40(b)(6)(f)(5), I declare that I have examined this affidavit and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct and complete.

_____(Seal)_____

(Signature of Owner, Partner or Corporate Officer)

Date

If Corporate officer state title: _____

(Name - Please Print)

Internet Accessibility, Release of Copyright and Publishing Rights

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The execution of this document, your firm's signature, hereby authorizes and gives permission to the Department of Natural Resources to utilize product literature, photographs and product information as necessary to disseminate this information to its web users.

At times, the Department may request digital prepared photographs (data saved to disk that can be uploaded to the web server) and literature formatted for web publication that your firm has readily available and may be currently using in its own web site. This information will be provided to the department at no cost.

The successful bidder shall indemnify and save harmless the State of South Carolina and all State officers, agents, and employees, from all suits of claims of any character brought by reason of infringing on any patent, trade mark or copyright. Bidder shall have no liability to the State if such patent trademark or copyright infringement or claim is based upon the States' use of material furnished to the State by the bidder.

Bidder is in agreement with the terms and conditions of this copyright release by the execution of this document by the representative company official below:

(Signature of Owner, Partner or Corporate Officer) Date (Seal)

If Corporate Officer state title: _____

(Name - Please Print)

My company is not currently represented on the Internet and/or I wish not to participate in exchanging company product literature, photographs for your agency use. I have indicated below by reasons.

Wish not to participate_____

Not currently represented_____

Please Check Which Applies.

SOUTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
SPECIFICATIONS FOR ONE, ALUMINUM PATROL/RESCUE VESSEL

(Representative Model – War Eagle 648 LDSV or Approved Equivalent)

By naming a manufacturer it is not the intention to deter competitive bidding, the purpose is to identify and establish a satisfactory level of quality and a competent model for the State.

General:

The specifications herein describe requirements for one, current production model year, aluminum vessel. This vessel will be utilized in law enforcement operations on inland waters in South Carolina. This boat will also be utilized in search and rescue operations where operator safety, area accessibility, ride, comfort and handling are of prime concern. Because of the vessel potential to be operated continuously and during adverse weather conditions, while ensuring officer and public safety, all components of the vessel must be constructed to the highest marine standards.

Production Requirement:

The vessel described by this specification shall be the manufacturer's latest production model and shall be equipped in accordance with the manufacturer's latest literature. A copy of the literature must accompany the bid along with written documentation that might be necessary to ensure that the vessel will meet or exceed each and every specification. Bidder shall list all exceptions to these specifications, no matter how slight. Failure to do so will be interpreted to mean that the bidder intends to meet all specifications contained in the solicitation.

General Requirements:

- < 16' 3" War Eagle 648 LDSV (48"bottom-67"beam-21" side depth-.100 hull gauge-60 HP rating-8degree hull-weight+410lbs. (or approved equivalent)
- < Wesco galvanized trailer with stainless steel hardware-Wesco 1713FSE-13 (or approved equivalent)
- < Trolling motor, Minn Kota Riptide RT55/ST/CP/AP with 48" shaft (or approved equivalent), completely installed and bracket mounted left side.
- < Skinned interior for boat advantage-max 4
- < Exterior paint for boat advantage-max 4
- < Tool box for boat in advantage-max 4 (12"x7 ½"x 8")
- < Gun box for boat in advantage-max 4 (60")
- < Hand rail for mud motor in advantage-max 4
- < Navigation lights
- < Q-beam and courtesy light combination in advantage-max 4
- < Drink holder and shell tray in advantage-max 4
- < 4 cleat brackets in advantage-max 4
- < 4 cap tie bracket in advantage-max 4
- < 1 lock jaw bracket in advantage-max 4
- < 1 seat with swivel, on bench seat in advantage-max 4
- < 2 spider swivel seats and stainless steel poles, the 2 base plates go in the bow and middle of the boat in advantage max-4. The one in the middle goes on the floor.
- < (1) One 85 amp Cranking Battery with battery box and hold downs installed
- < Auto/Manual Bilge Pump/ 1500GPH
- < 6 gallon portable tank, fully connected to motor

Specific Vessel Specifications and Dimensions/Ratings:

LENGTH:	16' 3"
BOTTOM WIDTH	48"
BEAM	67"
WEIGHT	410 lbs
MAX. H.P	75HP
H.P. required	60HP
SHAFT	20"
HULL TYPE.	8 degree V Bottom
HULL GAUGE	.100
FUEL CAP.	18 gal.

Outboard Motor Requirement:

This boat will require a current production model Mercury 60 ELHPT 4-Stroke EFI motor, electric start, tiller handle, power trim and tilt, stainless steel propeller. **The motor must be provided by the successful vendor and must be installed and tested for proper operation. Vendor will be responsible for providing a stainless steel propeller properly pitched and water tested, all the necessary parts, components and accessories needed for the complete installation of this engine.** Vendor will exercise care in the installation of the outboard motor to insure a thoroughly workmanlike manner in accordance with the best modern practice as demonstrated and adhered to in the marine industry. Vendor Note: Vendor will be required to notify DNR in their bid, of any installation problems that might conflict with the boat manufactures recommended operational limits on performance tolerances i.e. weight, length and horsepower limitations and etc.

Boat Trailer Requirement:

The vendor will provide a current production model Wesco 1713FSE-13 (or approved equivalent), fully galvanized, drive-on boat trailer with spare tire mounted with lock, tie-down, tongue jack with swivel wheel, DOT lights, 2" coupler to accommodate the above referenced boat complying with Wesco DNR Spec Setup On File At The Plant. Trailer to be adjusted to boat when delivered.

Marine Standards and Regulations

All work shall comply with all State and Federal laws, ordinances and regulations governing the marine industry. These requirements supplement these specifications and shall take precedence in case of conflict.

All materials and equipment shall be new and shall comply with the applicable standard in every case where such a standard has been established for the particular type of material or equipment in question.

Electrical Requirements

All electrical circuit systems shall be in accordance with **ABYC-E9 Standards** in-lined fused protected or breaker circuit protected with switch activated on and off mounted on console. All switches shall be properly labeled for operator identification. All electrical connections shall be coated for corrosion protection with a vinyl or rubber type substance "liquid tape". **(If so equipped)**

Note:

- (1) All boats to be manufactured in accordance with U.S. Coast Guard standards and certified by NMMA and the U.S. Coast Guard as meeting a standard of quality. In addition, all construction shall comply with the American Boat and Yacht Council recommended practices for small watercraft. "A certification statement of compliance from the bidder may be required upon request".
- (2) **Manufacturer's Certificate of origin for "All Equipment Items" must be submitted on or before time of invoicing, or payment will be withheld.**
- (3) All boats offered to the State must have provisions for warranty and service. Service facilities must be available to Department within the State of South Carolina at such locations that would provide reasonable convenience to the user in acquiring service or warranty repairs.
- (4) Offers to the State utilizing standard production models normally offered to the recreational user with standard manufactured features or equipment offered at no additional cost to the user, will also be provided to the State even though standard features were not identified in the solicitation.
- (5) No alteration of the requirements of this solicitation will be allowed. Alterations, additions and changes made without the specific approval of the Purchasing Office will result in non-payment.

Rigging

Rigging is to be performed by the successful vendor. The vendor shall furnish and provide any all labor and other materials required to complete the job, which includes and is not limited to:

- (1) Install engine and propeller in full compliance with the engine manufacturer's recommendations. All transom holes drilled for the engine installation must be thoroughly sealed from moisture exposure. The pitch of the propeller is to be determined by water testing for proper boat and engine performance.
- (2) Install, mount and adjust controls and linkage as per engine manufacturer's recommendations.
- (3) Install battery or batteries and battery boxes, isolator switch and all required electrical hookups.
- (4) Fill VRO tank with engine manufacturer's recommended oil TCW III. **(If So Equipped)**
- (5) Fill fuel tank with not less than 92 octane unleaded fuel and manufacturer's recommended mixture of TCW III break-in oil. **(If So Equipped)**
- (6) Fit and adjust boat to the trailer and secure all tie downs.
- (7) Water test boat and engine. Tests to include all operational and performance features. Adjust and correct any deficiencies.
- (8) Successful vendor must provide a signed statement and checklist with each boat delivered indicating that the boats performance and operational features have been thoroughly checked and are in first class operational condition and the name and date of the individual conducting the water test. The Department may also water test boat before accepting delivery. Boat to be washed and cleaned before delivery.
- (9) Install Perko switch in accordance with established marine standards.
Rig boat, outboard motor, and adjust trailer for proper fit. Test and adjust outboard motor per MFG Specifications. Test and adjust for best operational performance and properly select and install the stainless steel propeller.

Delivery Point:

SC Department of Natural Resources
Styx Receiving Compound
2760 Fish Hatchery Road
West Columbia, SC 29172

Required Delivery: 30 days ARO

PRICING SCHEDULE

LINE ITEM	COMMODITY/SERVICE DESC	QTY.	U/M	SC	US	UNIT PRICE	EXTENDED PRICE
0001	16 Ft. Aluminum Boat, Motor and Trailer complying with all specifications listed herein	1	EA			\$	\$

DELIVERY_____ DAYS ARO

MFG_____MODEL_____

INITIAL WARRANTY_____ DAYS PARTS

_____ DAYS LABOR